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NOTE TO: Chairman, NIC

Vice Chairman, NIC

FROM: Charles E. Allen

NIO for Warning

SUBJECT: DI Support to the National Warning Staff

Attached is a memorandum that I received late last week from RADM Scheaffer, Deputy Director for JCS Support, in response to my discussion with Gordon Negus about the inadequate support of DIA to the National Warning Staff. Discussions with on 12 September indicate that DIA expects to have a secretary assigned to the NWS before the end of the year. Also, DIA intends to find a professional staff billet for hopefully at the GS-15 level.

I believe it is imperative that be promoted as soon as possible and be officially designated Director, National Warning Staff.

In addition, as I explained to Dave, DIA is also searching for an Assistant NIO for Warning and, a DIA panel will meet on 20 September to nominate a qualified officer. Meanwhile, of course, NSA has put forth the name of an officer who seems to be highly qualified for the Assistant position.

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